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Katsumi OKINA
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- ☒ 3 sheet(s) of drawings (☒ formal ☐ informal) is(are) enclosed.
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- ☐ An assignment of the invention to SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION ☐ is enclosed ☒ will follow.
- ☐ An associate power of attorney ☐ is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney ☐ is enclosed ☒ will follow.
- ☐ A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2001-019028 filed January 26, 2001 from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 will follow.
- ☐ IDS enclosed (☐ with reference(s)).
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- ☐ Application data sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.
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A	TOTAL CLAIMS FE E	42	-20	22	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$18	396		
B	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE*	6	-3	3	LG=\$84 SM=\$42	\$84	252		
C	SUBTOTAL - ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE (ADD FINAL COLUMN IN LINES A + B)							648	
D	MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE					LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$280 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$140		\$ 0	
E	BASIC FEE					LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$740 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$370		\$ 740	
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